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## BRITISH ARE STILL ACTIVE IN FLANDERS

### Gains are Made Southeast of Ypres, Somme Front Unchanged---Leader of British Forces Promoted to General

(By Associated Press)

London, Nov. 23—The British forces have advanced their lines slightly in Flanders, southeast of Ypres, according to an official statement issued by the war office today.

The situation on the Somme front southwest of Cambrai is reported to be practically the same as yesterday.

London, Nov. 23—Lieut. Gen. Byng, who has led the British in the last successful advances on the German lines has been promoted to the rank of general, by King George. In making the appointment King George stated that it was in recognition of Byng's distinguished service on the field in the recent action.

## GERMANY IS INCREASING FIRE ON U. S.

(By Associated Press)

With the American Army in France, Nov. 23—The artillery fire of the enemy is becoming more active along the sector occupied by the American troops. Shells in more than normal numbers are falling in the rear of the trenches.

No new casualties are reported in the last three days from the German fire.

In reprisal for the shelling of the town in which the American headquarters are located, during which a shell fell on the American regimental headquarters, the American gunners sent an equal number of shells into the corresponding town behind the German lines the following day.

### ROBINSON-PHILBRICK

#### Wedding at Home of Bride on Thursday Afternoon.

The wedding of Miss Marguerite Philbrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Philbrick of Broad street, and George O. Robinson of Detroit, took place at the bride's home on Thursday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William M. Forgrave.

## NEW BATTLE IS IN PROGRESS ON FLANDERS FRONT

### Germans Forced to Retire From Two Villages and Other Positions Dominating the Cambrai Sector--All Detachments of Foot Army in the New Action

(By Associated Press)

Berlin, via London, Nov. 23—A new battle is now in progress in the Cambrai sector, near Monuvres, according to an official statement issued by the war office today. The statement says that the fighting broke out early today. All branches of the foot army are taking part in the action.

Yesterday, the report says, the British forced the Germans to retire from Fontaine and La Folie Wood after a severe struggle.

The British attack of Rumilly, Banteaux and Vendulle was reported by the war office to have collapsed with a heavy loss.

British Army Headquarters in France, Nov. 23—The British early today drove back the enemy at Tadpole Copse which dominates a large portion of Cambrai and Moeuvres, the latter also in the Cambrai sector.

## CAPPS FORCED TO RESIGN

### Illness of Naval Constructor Forces His Resignation as Head of the Shipping Board.

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 23.—Chief Constructor Washington L. Capps of the navy, recently appointed general manager of the shipping board emergency fleet corporation by President Wilson, has been forced to tender his resignation due to illness. The resignation will take effect immediately as in accordance with Capps' physicians.

The appointment of Capps was made to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Major General Goethals.


TO LET—A suite of three rooms and large kitchen, well heated, furnished and lighted, to responsible parties for housekeeping. Marcy house, 383 Pleasant street. he N 23 tf.


## ATTEMPT TO ENCIRCLE THE ITALIAN ARMY

### Austro-Germans Checked by Italians Near Monte Meletta.

(By Associated Press)

Rome, Nov. 23.—A great encircling attack was attempted by the Austro-German forces in northern Italy. The scene of the attempt was near Monte Meletta.

The war office in making the announcement stated that the Italians were able to hold their positions from capture against greatly outnumbered forces.

Heavy fighting is reported from this sector both during the night and day.

## ITALIANS CHECK GERMAN ADVANCE

(By Associated Press)

Rome, Nov. 23—The war office announced today that throughout yesterday the Teutons attacked on the sector around the upper Piave and Brenta rivers. The attacks were all repulsed.

The statement says that more than once the enemy took several positions and were forced to retreat.

The last attempt by the Austro-Germans to gain ground was made at the end of the day but the attack was again defeated by the Italians.

The German general staff reported that the battle in progress in the mountainous sector near the Piave and Brenta rivers was a success.

## INSURANCE RATES LOWERED

(By Associated Press)

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23—On account of the reduction in the number of ships lost in the past few weeks in the war zone the war risk bureau has lowered the insurance rates for ships sailing in the war zone from 5 to 4 per cent.

## PUBLISHER IS INDICTED

(By Associated Press)

New York, Nov. 23—Jeremiah A. O'Leary, President of the American Aruth society, and publisher of "The Bull", a publication which was recently barred from the mails, was indicted today for violating the espionage and postal laws.

S. A. Stern and Luther Bedfors, also members of the publishing company were indicted on similar charges.

## THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and Vicinity—Snow and colder tonight; Saturday probably fair; fresh to moderate north winds.

Portsmouth likes vaudeville.

## ARMISTICE BY RUSSIA SENT TO U. S

### Copy of Trotzky's Proposal Sent to Ambassador Francis in Petrograd, Thence to Washington.

(By Associated Press)

Petrograd, Nov 23—The note of Leon Trotzky, Bolshevikl, foreign minister, to the allied embassies concerning the proposal of an armistice has been conveyed to the allied embassies.

The note was delivered to Ambassador Francis last night at the American embassy. The note has been sent to Washington for the inspection of the United States government.

Ambassador Francis made no public acknowledgement of the receipt of the armistice.


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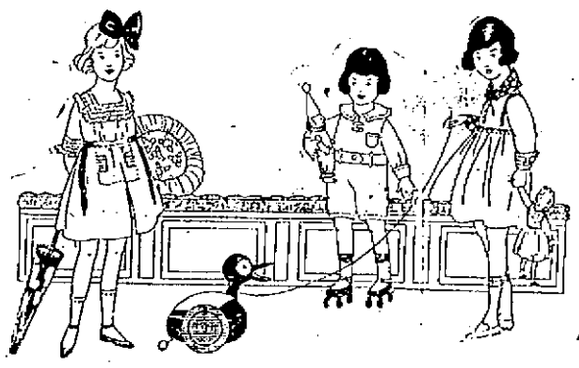

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# ITALIANS EAGER FOR U. S. TO DECLARE WAR ON AUSTRIA

(By Associated Press)

Rome, Nov. 21—(Delayed)—The rumor sthat America is about to declare war on Austria, to which the newspapers give circulation, are the subject of much excitement and enthusiastic comment here.

"It is impossible," said a well known politician today, "for the United States to abstain from open war with the Hapsburg monarchy since President Wilson's declaration that one of the essentials to victory is perfect unity of aims among the allies. This is not attainable until America joins in the struggle against Austria.

The Idea Nationale says:

"The United States has been the first to deplore the lack of cohesion between the allies, so it must be the first to desire to give practical effect to the program discussed at the Paris conference considering Austria--Hungary equally with Germany, its declared enemy. If America desires to adhere to her program of contributing to the common cause she will not be able to avoid sending help where both German and Austrian forces are operating."

# UNKNOWN MAN FOUND DEAD IN DOVER HOTEL

Dover, Nov. 23—An unknown man was found in room 17 of the American house this morning, dead in bed, with the gas turned on full blast. He came to the hotel last night, registered, and was assigned to his room. Nothing more was heard from him until nearly noon today, when he was found dead. A clerk of the hotel called up the police station and in turn, Dr Walter J. Roberts, medical referee for Strafford county was notified. He ordered the body taken to the undertaking rooms of Tasker and Chesley. The handwriting of the man on the hotel register was so poor that no one has been able to decipher it. On examination of the man's clothing, $20 was found. Nothing was found on his person to identify him in any way. The man had all the appearances of being a lumberjack. Inquiries as to his identity have so far been fruitless.

# KITTERY

Kittery, Nov. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Littlefield and son Sidney of Pine street were in New Castle on Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Littlefield's mother.

Harry Goodwin of Dame street badly burned one of his arms on Wednesday while at work at the foundry in Portsmouth.

George Remick of Saco was in town on Thursday to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Sarah Peirce.

Raymond, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Packard of Manson avenue, is ill.

Mrs. Harold Thompson of Otis avenue was a visitor in New Castle on Thursday.

Rev. Bertram F. Wentworth of Boston is at North Kittery for the week-end.

Mrs. Austin Googins, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, at the Portsmouth hospital, is reported to be slowly improving.

Mark Boulter of North Kittery is improving from his illness.

Mrs. E. B. Eastman of Portsmouth was a recent visitor in town.

Mrs. G. W. Abrams and brother Walter Fernald, of the Intervene, were in New Castle on Thursday to attend the funeral of a relative.

Miss Kate Parker of Otis avenue passed Thursday with friends in Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Boulter of Love lane have been passing two days in Boston.

Services will be held at the First Methodist church next Sunday as usual. At 10.45 a. m., the pastor, Rev. B. F. Wentworth, will preach on Proverbs 29:18, "Where there is no vision, the people perish." "Following where He leads the way." The Sunday school will meet at 12 m. At 7.30 p. m. the pastor will preach on I. John 1:7, "Fellowship." Everyone will be given a cordial welcome. Rev. Joshua M. Frost, district superintendent, will hold a quarterly conference at the church, Saturday evening, Nov. 24, at 8 o'clock. All the members of the conference are requested to bring reports of their several departments.

Brigadier General Will C. Miller of Augusta, Me., Department Commander Patrarchs Militant, I. O. O. F., of Maine, assisted by his staff and the officers and ladies of Ridgely Auxiliary, No. 1, of Portland, Me., will be in Kittery tomorrow evening for the purpose of mustering an auxiliary to Canton Hayes, No. 7.

The party will arrive from Portland by automobile, and supper will be served in Wentworth hall at seven o'clock, followed by the ceremony in the lodge room at 8 o'clock. Dancing will be enjoyed in the lower hall for the remainder of the evening.

HOBBS & STERLING'S SATURDAY SPECIALS

Sugar out, but plenty of molasses. Fill your jug now.
Brisket corn beef, 23c lb.
Cabbage, 2c lb.
Pie meat, no bones, 24c lb.
Roll pot roast, 24c lb.
Round steak, 30c lb.
Creamery butter, 49c lb.
3 Lbs. whole rice, 26c.
Fancy sage cheese, 34c lb.
8 Lbs. sweet potatoes, 25c.
Large cake toilet soap, 10c; 98c doz.
Cream and snappy cheese, 14c.
Nuts, figs, dates, orange and lemon peel, suet and citron for Thanksgiving.
Order your turkey from us as our order is placed as usual for fresh killed birds at market prices.

I. O. O. F. NOTICE

The members of Dirigo Encampment No. 7, I. O. O. F., and their families are cordially invited to be present in Wentworth Hall, Friday evening, Nov. 23rd, when a Ladies Auxiliary to Canton Hayes will be mustered. The ceremony will begin at eight o'clock and will be followed by dancing for the remainder of the evening, to which all are welcome. Sojourning patriarchs and families are especially invited to be present.

CAPT. L. E. ROBBINS,
Clerk, Canton Hayes.

SATURDAY SPECIALS AT PRINCE'S MARKET

Chuck roast, 20c lb.
Rib roast, 25c lb
Sirloin steak, 35c lb.
Genuine Scotch ham, 45c lb.
Boiled ham, 45c lb.
Whole ha mor half, 28c lb.
Fore quarters lamb, 22c lb.
Mince meat in bulk, 15c lb.
Ammonia, large bottle, 5c.
Fancy brisket, 25c lb.
Two cans corn, 25c.
Clear meat cut from corn fed cattle, at 25c lb.
Everything for Thanksgiving.

# KITTERY POINT

Kittery Point, Nov. 23—The pupils of the Mitchell school will give a drama in the vestry of the Free Baptist church this evening. If stormy, it will be given on Monday evening.

Little Miss Ruth Adams of Dover is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Irish at their home on the Harbor road for a few days.

The next meeting of the Red Cross will be held on Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 27. Mrs. Etta Keene of Kittery will read a report of the Red Cross convention which she recently attended in Boston.

Anyone wishing to send an Xmas box to one of the soldiers at camp or at home will please call at Mrs. Oscar Clark's for instructions for making them, and the articles to put in them.

A meeting of the society in aid of the French wounded met with Mrs. Granville Berry last evening to knit. Fourteen ladies were present. A great deal of work is being accomplished in this town by the ladies for this great cause.

At the reception which was given to Rev. E. W. Cummings and Mrs. Cummings at the Baptist vestry on Wednesday evening the Baptist society presented them with a purse of fifty dollars and the Ladies Sewing Circle of the Congregational church gave them $10 in gold. Through a mistake in printing in last night's paper, this was omitted.

Rev. John A. Waterworth wishes to announce that the morning service at the First Congregational church will be a Thanksgiving service. Sermon, "The Reason and Spirit of Thanksgiving." On Sunday evening at 7 o'clock will be Bethel mission service, to which all are invited.

The ladies of the Congregational Sewing Circle met on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. George Gunnison to cut out work to be sewed at the next meeting of the Circle. A very pleasant afternoon was passed. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The home of Mrs Perley Tobey was the scene of a happy gathering on Thursday afternoon from 6 to 4, when her little daughter Pauline Avis, celebrated the first anniversary of her birth. The little ones were accompanied by their mothers. After a social time was passed the little tots were seated at the dining room table which was daintily decorated in pink and white. Little pink baskets were at each place and a handsomely decorated birthday cake with one pink taper in the center, was a delight to the little ones. Ice cream and cake were served. Baby Pauline received many beautiful gifts. The babies present were Doris Witham, Miriam Patch, Gernice Goodwin, Hannah Goodwin, Barbara Pierce, Paul Tobey and Chas. Perry, Jr.

Mrs. Edgar Pitts left today for her home in Stonington, Me., after passing several months at the Mills bungalow. She was accompanied back by her father, B. S. Thurrow, who has been passing a few days here.

Mrs. Arthur Storer and two children returned from a few days visit in Oxford, Me., today.

# EXETER

Exeter, Nov. 23—Speakers for the remainder of the term at the academy chapel are: Nov. 25, Charles G. Sewall of Albany, N. Y.; Dec. 2, Henry E. Cobb of New York; December 9, H. H. Tweedy of New Haven, Conn., and December 16, Harry P. Dewey of Minneapolis, Minn.

Major General Henry Milburn of Manchester, head of the U. R. K. P., was a visitor here yesterday.

John Timmins who enlisted in the U. S. navy last summer, arrived in town yesterday to make a visit to his friends, he being on a furlough.

Everett Sanborn is confined to his home on High street by an attack of pneumonia.

Deputy Fred H. Corson of Candia was an Exeter visitor yesterday on business.

Edward B. Atkinson, former manager of the Iona theatre who was transferred to Stoneham last week, was recently married to Miss Victoria Turcotte of Newburyport, Mass. Mr. Atkinson was also a resident of that city.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Taylor of Canaan, Wednesday at the Exeter Cottage hospital. Mrs. Taylor was formerly Miss Lillian Smith of Newmarket.

The adoption degree was worked on one candidate at the meeting of the Wehannonwit Tribe of Red Men last evening. A steamed clam supper was served following the work.

Rev William E. White of Boston will be the preacher at the First Congregational church Sunday morning.

# HAMPTON

Hampton, Nov. 23—Miss Grace Fletcher of Nute High school, Milton, N. H., is the week-end guest of Miss Mildred Greene.

A Conolial Tea was given at the Town hall on Wednesday afternoon for the benefit of the Red Cross. A short program consisting of music by Mrs. Sprague, Misses Gildwin, Green Mrs. Fred Perkins and Mrs. Warren Holk was given.

The Glee club of the Hampton academy is planning to give a concert in January.

On Monday evening the young ladies who had a house party at the Newcomb cottage at the beach in June, gave a surprise party to their chaperon, Mrs. E. Linton, in honor of her birthday. They presented Mrs. Linton with a pin and box of stationery. Games were played. Ice cream and cake was served by Miss Mary Toppan.

Hampton Academy raised $62.50 for the Y. M. C. A. fund.

Union Thanksgiving service will be held at the Baptist church on Thanksgiving morning at ten o'clock.

The Mothers' club met with Mrs. R Thompson on Monday.

# TRANSPORT SANK U. S. S. CHAUNCEY

## Admiral Sims Reports Details of Loss of Destroyer in War Zone.

Washington, Nov. 23.—The American destroyer Chauncey, sunk Monday with the loss of 21 men, was cut in two by the transport Rose, the navy department was advised yesterday by Vice-Admiral Sims.

The after part of the destroyer sank immediately carrying down three officers including the commander, Lt.-Commander Walter E. Reno, and 18 enlisted men who were believed to have been asleep in their quarters.

The Chauncey undoubtedly was convoying the Rose, and both vessels were running through the war zone without lights. The transport struck the destroyer on the port side abreast the rail of the vessel. The forward part of the wreck remained afloat an hour, enabling the Rose to rescue the 70 officers and men in that section. They were taken to port by the transport.

The Rose was not identified by naval officials here today, there being no record of an American transport of that name, and Admiral Sims was asked to clear up that point.

Secretary Daniels issued this statement:

"The United States Destroyer Chauncey, which was sunk at 1 o'clock Monday, was rammed by the Transport Rose, according to a dispatch received by the navy department from Vice Admiral Sims today.

"Both vessels were running without lights at the time of the accident, the Rose crashing into the Chauncey on the port side abreast of the fourth funnel. The after portion of the destroyer immediately submerged and officers and men in that part were drowned. After the collision, the remaining portion of of the vessel floated for about an hour and the transport was thus enabled to rescue the remainder of the officers and crew. They were taken to port by the Rose."

# TREASURY SETS NEW HIGH RECORD

Washington, Nov. 23—The crest of the tide of inflowing Liberty Loan dollars was reached yesterday when the net balance in the United States treasury reached the new high record of $1,921,000,000.

Beginning tomorrow or Saturday, the net balance is expected to fall rapidly, owing to the redemption of a large part of the $385,000,000 certificates of indebtedness due today, and to the government's expenditure's of $55,000,000 daily, of which about $17,000,000 is in loans to the allies. More than a billion and a half dollars has poured into the treasury from Liberty Loan payments within the past week.

Actual payments to the allies on the $3,876,000,000 credits previously granted today reached $3,006,000,000.

# INTERESTED IN VISIT OF FINANCIER

(By Associated Press)

Tokio, Nov. 23—Japan's financiers are showing keen interest in the visit of M. A. Koushin, formerly president of the bank of Russia and now head of the Commercial and Industrial bank of Moscow. M. Kenghin's visit is ostensibly a pleasure trip, but it is considered to have a much more serious purpose and his party is already refered to as a special finance commission to Japan dispatched by the Russian government to negotiate for the establishment of a Russo-Japanese bank. The capital proposed is reported to be ten million yen.

# BOMB PLANTER HAS CONFESSED

Chicago, Nov. 23—Reinhold A Faust, a naturalized German, last night confessed to Chief of Police Schuettler that he placed a bomb in the Auditorium Theatre last Friday during a grand opera performance. The crudely constructed bomb did not explode but its discovery caused much confusion among the audience.

Faust said he hated the government not because it was at war with his native land, but because of treatment he had received while he was a postal employ for ten years. He said he wanted only to alarm the wealthy persons, so that they would heed his blackmailing letters.

## REPORTS SURRENDER OF ALL KERENSKY'S TROOPS

Copenhagen, Nov. 23.—"The Bolsheviki press agency officially reports from Petrograd, that all Premier Kerensky's troops have surrendered and that the Bolsheviki also have gained a complete victory at Moscow," says a dispatch to the Berlingske Tilende from Haparanda.

"The Ukrainian government has sent an army of 150,000 against Gen. Kaledines, Ghetman of the Don Cossocks, and at the same time Gen. Krasnoff, a member of Kerensky's staff, has gone to Kaledines' headquarters to open negotiations with him," says the dispatch.

## A REAL SHOW.

The management of the Colonial made no idle boast when they advertised the present splendid vaudeville and picture bill as one of the best ever—it is all that and then some.

The writer witnessed the performance last evening and can truthfully say a more satisfactory laugh-getting session he never sat through.

The show starts with pictures. They are funny ones and many a hearty laugh was enjoyed by the audience through the antics of Mutt and Jeff, and another comedy picture called the "Base Bullist Fanatic." The Pathe News is exceptionally interesting; it shows many late scenes of our boys in France going into action and other topical events.

The first act was that of the Herbert Sisters, English girls and mighty clever ones, pretty and shapely and clever dancers, none of them yet twenty. They go from songs to toe dancing, skirt Irish Reel and nifty wooden shoe, a more than pleasing big time opener.

The act following is that of Jones and Greenlee, and some act. It bristles with bright sayings and clever crossfire. One has to pay strict attention or something worth a while smile may go over his head.

The last number of the vaudeville is that of two of the cleverest fellows that ever tripped the boards of any theatre in this section, namely Knapf and Cornalla. They start with comedy talk, and it is screamingly funny; then they go to piano and trombone, which is a continuation of a riot of fun. From that they put over some clever stunts in comedy, then acrobatic stunts, and believe me, friend, they are some acrobats. It is easily the best two-man act that has appeared in this good old burg in many moons.

The pictures with the dramatic subject were great. We understand they are changed again today.

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# SHIP YARD EMPLOYES TO BE EXEMPT

## Will be Placed in Preferred Occupation and Not Subject to Draft--West Ahead of East Coast

(By Associated Press)

Boston, Mass., Nov. 22.—Rear Admiral Francis P. Bowles, U. S. N., of the shipping board, announced today that workmen in ship building plants would be placed in the preferred occupations and men in ship yards would not be drafted for military duty.

The emergency fleet he said had contracted for 375 wooden ships and 55 composite. "These wooden ships were conceived in trouble and dissention and there they will remain for long or short as may be the case. I want to say that the first steel vessel contracted for in July will be launched in Seattle within a week. The Pacific coast has the east skun a mile so far. The first wooden ships will not be ready for launching for some months."

# A KHAKI TESTAMENT WILL BE PART OF SOLDIERS' KIT

(By Associated Press)

New York, Nov. 22—A campaign to help build up army morale by putting a khaki testament in every soldier's kit has been given the united support of th efederated churches, and the approval of the administration at Washington, according to an announcement made in this city today at a meeting of the war committee of the American Bible Society. James B. Wood, president of the American Bible society announced that the committee had approved plans to raise 400,000 for the immediate distribution of these testaments to all American soldiers and sailors now serving the colors.

The money needed for the printing and distribution of these testaments will be raised through American Bible Week. The date announced for this week is December 1 to 11.

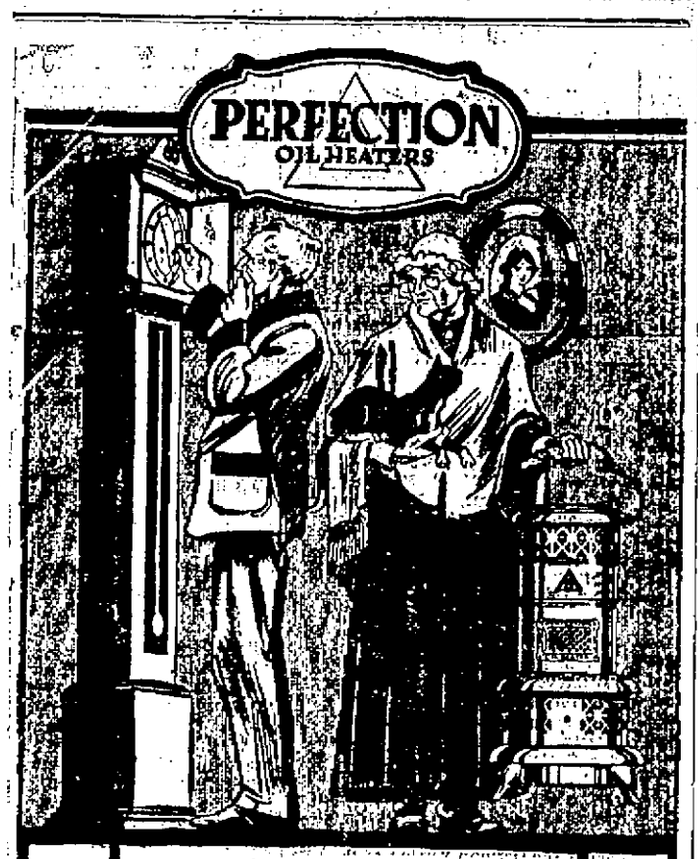
The committee announced that the money could be contributed to the campaign through any federated church or local bible agency or sent t othe American Bible society in New York.

Mr. Wood said the work had been undertaken by the society in response to the repeated demands of the army and navy chaplains, the Young Men's Christian Association and other religiou sagencies working for the spiritual welfare of the men at the front. The appeal which the campaign will make is one which is bound to awaken a response among thuoghtful, Christian people," said Mr. Wood. "We must recognize that the maintenance of the army morale is one of the surest ways of assuring victory, and we look td see the American army not only the very strongest but the cleanest and noblest army at the front.

The campaign should be an appeal to all patriotic citizens, and the committee feels tha ta special responsibility rests with the Christian churches."

President Wilson's approval of the campaign was read in the following letter:

"I am glad to have the opportunity to endorse the effort of the American Bible society to procurce a sum of 400,000 to cover the expenses of supplying the men of the army and navy with Bible. This is an object which I am sure all Christian people will want to see accomplished. I hope that it may be for the sake of the men who are going to the front. They will need the support of the only book from which they can get it."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# TWO AMERICANS TOUR LEPER COLONY

(By Associated Press)

Tokio, Nov. 22.—Wm. M. Danner, of Cambridge, Mass., and Dr. J. W. McKean of Chienmai, Siam, recently made a tour of inspection of the leper hospitals in Japan. Mr. Danner is the secretary of the committee in the United States working in behalf of lepers under the auspices of the Mission to Lepers which has its headquarters at Dublin, Ireland. This society is now in active co-operation with nearly one hundred leper hospitals through the Eeast. Dr. McKean has for twenty-eight years been a medical missionary in Siam and is at the head of a large leper asylum at Chiengmai, the only hospital of the kind in Siam.

The Japanese government is making a thorough investigation of leprosy throughout Japan. Complete segregation of all the lepers on some island off the coast and the separation of the children from leprous parents as soon as possible is being considered by the Government.

The five Government hospitals in Japan at present contain about 1,500 patients, which is perhaps not more than five per cent of all the cases existing. The three Christian hospitals have a total of about 250 patients.

# PIAVE RIVER LINE STILL HELD BY ITALIANS

Rome, Nov. 22.—Seven desperate enemy attacks during the past 60 hours, flung against Italian defenders between the Piave and the Brenta rivers, have been thrown back. Every inch of the Italian line holds firm and unyielding despite the enemy's most violent efforts.

This news from the battlefront today gave Rome its first chance for quiet jubilation since the dark day when the Austrian and German hordes swept over Gorizia.

Every hour gained in the holding of the Piave line, it was declared, means the capacity for resistance is increased as re-enforcements now on the way to the front arrive.

At Boweglavé the Italians pierced the dykes, flooding much of the ground in this section.

Fresh Italian divisions from the sonzo front have been placed in position for the strongest defense of Venice.

The enemy was reported today to be preparing further heavy attacks north of the mountain lines.

### 200 U. S. YOUTHS SERVICE FAKIRS.

Paris, Nov. 22.—The Paris Herald reports that more than 200 young Americans wearing the uniforms of ambulance drivers have been rounded up recently by the American military authorities. The numbers of their passports were taken and they were told o call at headquarters, where all but five appeared. There they were informed again that they must enlist in some branch of the active service overseas or they would be sent back to America, where they would be dealt with as the circumstances warranted.

As for the five who did not appear t headquarters, it is reported that when they are found harsh measures gainst them will be taken.

Read the Want Ads.

# AMERICAN SAILORS ENJOY SHORE LEAVE IN IRELAND

(By Associated Press)

Base American Flotilla in British Waters, Nov. 22—Tramps through the beautiful Irish countryside are the favorite autumn pastime of the American sailors on afternoon shore leave.

The Americans never saw so many pigs in their lives as they have since they began to wander around Ireland. Up one of the favorite country roads they have become fast friends with an Irish farmer who has a remarkable squad of trained pigs. Whenever the sailors visit his farmyrad the owner delights in running his pigs right through a number of evolutions just to make the sailors laugh. The farmer is very fond of the youthful Americans. To one party which called the other day he presented a tiny porker which they took squealing back to their ship, and accepted as their mascot. One trip at sea, however, made Piggy so seasick that he was turned over to the chef and made the centerpiece of a roast pig dinner, the like of which the boys have not had since leaving the shores of the United States.

Bicycling has gained a tremendous vogue with the American bluejackets. Scores of them mounted on machines of all possible types and vintages may be passed daily on the roads leading out from the naval base. The bicycles are rented from local dealers at about $2.50 or $3.00 a week. Many of the sailors have peddled all the way to Blarney Castl, while others have ventured as far as the Lakes of Killarney. They ride through the streets here at what the natives characterize a "reckless speed."

Several of the bluejackets are former professional or semi-professional cyclists who have competed in long-distance contests in many parts of the United States and they like nothing better than a spin of 20 or 25 miles of good road to be found in this part of Icelnad.

The blackberry season is at its height now and the American sailors have joined with the natives in gathering thousands of quarts from the hedges along the roads.

The American sailors have caused a boom in the broiled lobster and oyster business of this port. Neither of these foods has ever been popular with the Irish people, although they are available in large quantities and at low prices.

A photographer has just made the rounds of the destroyers and on each of them has taken group pictures of the officers and men. The phopograph was sent over by the British admiralty which knows how the sailor loves to be "snapped... Copies of the photographs are sold to the sailors at cost price.

The photographer, just before coming to the Americans here, had taken photographs from a seaplane of the damage done to Zeegrugge, Ostend and other German submarine bases by British airmen. He has won great popularity among the Americans, who look forward to his further visit with much pleasure.

# GERMANY TAKES MEASURES TO REDUCE COAL CONSUMPTION

(By Associated Press)

Berne, Nov. 22.—Germany has resorted to stringent measures of reducing its coal consumption during the coming winter by cutting down its train service and curtailing the number of people who travel, especially in express trains.

The latest edition of the Journal of the Association of German Railroads announces that at a recent meeting of the representatives of all German railroads, held in Berlin, it was unanimously decided not only to reduce the number of trains, but to put such a high cost upon traveling, by means of radical raises in the price of tickets, as to insure that only those will travel who absolutely must do so.

The advances contemplated and which probably will become effective within a very short time are as follows: On all tickets for express trains costing up to five marks, an extra charge of three marks will be levied; tickets hitherto costing from five to 10 marks will be taxed 8 marks extra; from 10 to 15 marks, 13 marks extra; from 15 to 20 marks, 20 marks extra, and for sums above 25 marks, 10 marks xtra for each 10 marks as ordinarily charged.

Likewise there is to be a sharp limitation in baggage regulations so that both the size and number of trunks, as well as their weight, will be cut down. For the first time in many years, Sunday trains are to be reduced in number. Hitherto they have always run on weekday schedules, sometimes even have been increased in number because of the German's love of making Sunday excursions.

In order to assure the punctual arrival and departure of trains, which unfortunately suffered greatly last winter because it was impossible to get up enough steam to haul the long heavy, express trains on time, the timetables will be revised so that trips will be longer than under the present schedule—though probably no longer than they have been actually taking.

# WATCHING ALIENS AT CAMP DEVENS

(By Associated Press)

Ayer, Mass., Nov. 22.—In an effort to stamp out the efforts to spread detention among the men of the new national army was started today when officers were assigned to watch the alien and conscious objectors who now have all been placed in the depot brigade and they will do fatigue work altogether. Many of the officers have reported that there has been an attempt to undermine the morale of the troops.

### HOUSEKEEPERS WARNED AGAINST PERSONS POSING AS "FOOD COLLECTORS"

This statement was made by Herbert Hoover, United States Food Administrator:

"We have reports from various parts of the country of crooks, thieves, and confidence operators who are going from house to house purporting to be authorized by the Food Administration and other departments of the Government to collect or commandeer foodstuffs for the Government or the Army.

"I wish to say emphatically that no department of the Government has or will ever make such demands on householders, and that all such people are petty frauds and should be held for the police. The Government agencies are investigating various cases and information is sought of all such persons by this department.


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# WILL WORK BACK OF LINE

(By Associated Press)

Camp Devens, Ayer, Nov. 22.—New England's alien enemies now have a military organization of their own. They will not have to fight for the country of their adoption, but from now on will be the wielders of pick and shovel. Today the 34th company and the 35th company of the depot brigade were given over to them and the selectives who have hitherto been members of these outfits were shifted to other companies.

In each of the three draft increments that have been sent here were many of these aliens. Many of them had claimed exemption, but their claims were turned down. They do not want to bear arms against their mother countries.

**Men Are Satisfied**

Today they came in twos and threes from the companies where up to now they have acted as arms bearers. There was a satisfied look on the faces of most of them, for they well know that from now o nthey will be taken care of, be able to show their love for this country without having to shoot down those to whom they are bound by ties of blood.

It was learned today that New England's colored troops, between 500 and 600, will be sent t othe 36th, 37th and 38th companies, depot brigade. This settles a question that has been much discussed at this camp since it was formerly understood they would be sent to Fort Riley, Kansas, or Camp Upton, where already some colored selectives have been sent. It would now appear the Negro troops are to be a permanent institution at this camp, for the barracks buildings have been set aside for them and when they arrive with the last 15 per cent increment they will find everything ready for them.


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# TRANSORTS IN COLLISION

(By Associated Press)

French Port, Nov. 22.—The latest Americans transports to arrive had an exciting experience while in the submarine war zone. Two of the transports collided and both were only slightly damaged.

### WARSAW HAS BIG CELEBRATION

Amsterdam, Nov. 22.—A telegram from Warsaw says: "Warsaw was beflagged and flower-decked for the celebration of the Kosciusko Centenary. Archbishop Lakonski conducted a special commemorative service in St. John's Cathedral, at which the reconstitution of an "independent Poland" as now projected by the Germans and Austrians, was represented as the realization of the ideal for which Kosciusko strove. The Burgomaster of Warsaw unveiled a statue of Kosciusko in the City Hall.

# PREDICTS UNITED STATES IN EUROPE

(By Associated Press)

London, Nov. 22.—F. Kellaway, parliamentary secretary to the Ministry of Munitions, in a speech to Boys Welfare Supervisors, said recently that he had always looked forward to the result of the war establishing in the Old World a "United States of Europe," to which should be referred any issues which threatened to divide the nations. Although at the beginning in establishing that United States of Europe, he added that he was not without hope that they might realize to the full the great ideal of Henry IV of France, of a United States that would be strong enough to impose its will upon any element which threatens to disturb its peace.

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Portsmouth, N. H., Friday, November 23, 1917.


## A Mighty Queer Arrangement.

It will be difficult for the average American to detect sense in one of the provisions established by the Hague regarding the payment of army and navy officers by the countries by which they may be taken prisoners of war. Under such an agreement, which was framed at the Hague and accepted by all civilized powers, the United States is under obligation to pay the German officers now interned here the same pay that is received by our own officers of the same rank, and is doing this, much to the surprise of those who are just learning of this remarkable arrangement.

An indignant citizen who has just learned the facts writes to a New York state newspaper protesting vigorously against the arrangement and saying that if he had known about it not one cent of his money would ever have gone into a Liberty bond. He considers it very "raw" for a country that is being asked to economize as the United States now is to be paying fat salaries to German officers who are prisoners here. As the salaries paid by the United States are much larger than those paid by Germany these officers are far better off than they would be at home so far as income is concerned, having nothing to do but to take their ease and draw pay larger than they ever dreamed of before. A German captain's pay from his own government is $2,300 a year; as a prisoner of war in America he receives $4,000. A German lieutenant's home pay is $1,350; as a prisoner of Uncle Sam he draws $2,400 a year. The salary of a German commander is $1,700 a year; here, in perfect safety, he draws $3,500. The New York state paper speaks truly when it says the German officers who are prisoners here will be sorry when the war is over.

This is indeed a very singular provision. In case any of our officers fall into the hands of Germany they will, if Germany respects the agreement, be paid on the German basis, while German prisoners here are paid on the American scale, which is nearly double that of Germany.

To the ordinary man it will seem that a government should be responsible for the proper care of its prisoners and that the matter of salaries should be left to the governments the men were serving. But "The Hague" has said it and the United States is now under obligation to pay any and all German officers who fall into its hands the salaries of their rank according to the American standard. Soldiers and sailors who become prisoners are paid nothing unless they are set to work, and in such case they are paid the same as American soldiers and sailors doing the same kind of work.

The number of German officers who are held as prisoners here is not large, but it certainly goes against the grain of the American people to be told to scrimp to the utmost in support of the war while a part of the taxes that are being wrung from them are used to pay fat salaries to such of the enemy as happen to be in our hands for safe keeping for the time being.

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Speaker Cox of the National House of Representatives declares that President Wilson is the "God-ordained leader of the people in the fight for democracy." But it will be better to leave that sort of talk to the Kaiser. His supremacy in that field will be admitted by the whole world.

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Guzzlers in some cities are wrathy because they think the liquor dealers are charging more than is warranted by the increased tax, stiff as that is, and are threatening all sorts of vengeance, even to voting no-license. All of which will be hailed with joy by the rock-ribbed prohibitionist.

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A Yale professor thinks the war tax on excessive profits is liable to be made permanent, on the ground that "the state and the community stand as silent partners in every business enterprise." But would the state and the community be ready to stand their share of the losses?

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It is believed there will be no general railroad strike, as the officials are preparing to place the matter in the hands of President Wilson in the event of a crisis. And the employes are not improving their standing in the estimation of the public by stirring up trouble at this time.

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The Christmas packages for the boys in France are "on their way," but similar gifts for the sailors can go later. Those sending them should bear in mind, however, that these should be in New York not later than November 24.

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Americans in Russia have come to the sensible conclusion that it is a good country to get out of, particularly that part of the country known as Petrograd, and are governing themselves accordingly.

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American troops in France are preparing to go into winter quarters. The war is not to be over by Christmas.

# BULLETS CRASH THROUGH TWO KITTERY HOMES

## Prisioner Attempting to Escape From Navy Yard the Target

Bang! Bang! went five shots from a heavy navy type revolver in the hands of marine guards in the main street of Kittery at 8.55 Thursday night. The bullets, two of them, crashed into the homes of two residents, barely missing two roomers, and causing no small panic. Some idea of the force of the bullets may be gained when it is stated that one passed through the side of the house of Dr. E. E. Shapleigh, just missing Mrs. Shapleigh's head. The house of Mrs. Wild was also punctured with a bullet and it just escaped hitting a guest. In the case of Mrs. Shapleigh, she was about to hang up a coat in a closet, when she changed her mind and the bullet whizzed by.

A Portsmouth man also had a narrow escape as he was coming up the street.

Now, as to the cause of the shooting. It appears that one of the navy yard prisoners attempted to escape. He was known as one of the "prisoners at large," who have the freedom of the yard as trusties. He rushed across the bridge and through the town, and one of the five shots fired hit the escaping man in the leg and he was captured. The name of the prisoner was Private Hinton.

The citizens of the town recommend immediate target practice for the guards.

# U. S. MISSION GOES FASTEST IN THREE YEARS

### Purpose of American Mission Is Explained.

(By Associated Press)

Paris, Nov. 23.—Col. E. M. House and the other members of the American mission have enjoyed the fastest ride from London to Paris since the outbreak of the war. The party crossed the channel at 31 knots an hour and from a French seaport town where they landed the trip to Paris was made the fastest of any in the last three years.

Col. House in speaking of the purpose of the American mission said: "We bring to the French republic a message of America's millions that are being mobilized in factories, on farms and on military fields. There is grim determination to wage war until the world is free from the shadows and the spectre of the sword. With to win hard in the minds, our President and the people of America see the issue clear."

# THE HERALD HEARS

That the Portsmouth Athletic Club will give a minstrel show for the benefit of the Red Cross.

That the Metropolitan Insurance Company will introduce its new provident system all over the country.

That this system will bring many changes in the industrial end of the business.

That the B. & M. men are not tickled with the new pay hours.

That the government needs the services of a few permanent detectives at the navy yard.

That the Democrats say that the Ward Five voters will march into booths at city hall next month.

That the Water street barracks is out of commission.

That it looks like conscription for political candidates for the city election.

That the new Chinese restaurant had a rush on the opening day.

That Nashua is going to send several mechanics here to work on the navy yard.

That the American Chemical Company will have a busy winter at the plant.

That Portsmouth certainly has some active dictators who are not among the natives.

That they say the city needs somebody with speed.

That there is fear that too much speed has been turned on in certain quarters.

That if the men think they know anything about walking they should take one of the long hikes with some of our female population.

That the latest among the women are small service flags worn on the coat.

## SCHMIDT-JACKSON

### Popular Navy Man Takes a Bride in This City.

Congratulations are coming thick and fast to Bernard H. Schmidt from the crew of the U. S. S. Montana, which ship he is attached to as a chief commissary steward. The congratulations are the result of his recent marriage to Mrs. Lillian E. Jackson of this city, a well known and popular resident of Daniel street.

The ceremony took place in Kittery and was performed by Judge Aaron B. Cole. The bride was attractively gowned in a pretty creation of plum charmeuse with hat to match. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dedes of this city. The ceremony was followed by a repast at the bride's home, attended by only the immediate friends of the contracting parties. The home bore artistic decorations of cut flowers and the menu consisted of salads, cold meats, oysters, celery, rolls, ice cream, assorted cake, coffee and fruit.

A number of costly and useful gifts were displayed, attesting the popularity of the couple, and included a chest of silver from the chief petty officers of the Montana.

The groom is a native of Muskatin, Iowa, and has made many friends in Portsmouth since the ship has made the local navy yard the home port. The bride enjoys a wide acquaintance among people of this city who join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt much connubial bliss.

# SENTENCE THREE MEN AT AYER

(By Associated Press)

Ayer, Mass., Nov. 23—Sentences of six months at hard labor were imposed on Daniel Hagan and Louis M. Welch, both of Hartford, Conn., and connected with the 303d Machine Gun Regiment, by a general court martial today. The men were charged with stealing an automobile in Lawrence, Mass., where they were arrested and later turned over to the army authorities.

Henry R. Landry also of Hartford, was also sentenced to two months at hard labor today, charged with being absent without leave.

## PETITIONS FOR REPAIR OF KITTERY BRIDGES

The public utilities commission of Maine has received petitions from the Boston and Maine railroad representing that Rice's or Harrison's bridge and Butler's bridge( about 2 and 1 miles respectively, east of Kittery Junction need to be repaired. The petition represents that it is the opinion of the Boston and Maine railroad that it is necessary for public safety that certain alterations in said bridges shall be made which does not involve the abolition of a crossing at grade, and asks the commission to hear all of the parties interested, and if it decides that such alteration is necessary, shall prescribe the manner in which such alterations shall be made, by whom made, and the apportionment of the expenses of the same. A public hearing has been ordered on these petitions to be held at the office of the public utilities commission at Augusta, Tuesday, December 4, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.


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# REDUCES WEIGHT BUT FAILS TO MAKE ARMY

Worcester, Nov. 23—After denying himself the good things he liked to eat for 12 months and training down from 320 to 190 pounds in order that he might be acceptable for service in the United States army, Frank Rand, 24, of June street, called at the recruiting station in Worcester to enlist only to be rejected because of impaired eyesight.

Although disappointed by his rejection Rand says he has one consolation left—he can wear clothes like other fellows now.

## PEOPLES' OPINIONS.

Portsmouth, N. H., Nov. 23.

Editor:

The Red Triangle campaign has been finished and put "over the top" to the tune of $51,000,000, when $35,000,000 had been asked for. The local people can feel proud that the quota for this city was exceeded by several hundred dollars. I feel that a word of appreciation and explanation is due the citizens of Portsmouth. Speaking as the representative ow the National War Work Council of the Young Men's Christian Association, for this district, I wash to thank the Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce, headed by its President, F. M. Sise, for the admirable way in which they conducted the campaign; also the men and women of the local teams which worked so loyally, many of them, having to close their desks and devote a large part of their time to the campaign. I wish also to thank most heartily the men and women who have responded so splendidly to the call for these funds, which are to be sent in making their sons and their neighbors' sons happier and of greater efficiency to the government.

The question is being asked, "If $35,000,000 was asked for, in order to carry on the work until the first of next July, how much longer will the $51,000,000 carry the work"? Not any longer, because the men who made up the $35,000,000 budget, planned that if there were any surplus when the campaign was finished to add the surplus in benefits and comforts to the 6,000,000 prisoners of war, which in the original budget of $35,000,000, they had only made a provision for $1,000,000 to be used for them, which was far from sufficient to bring them the cheer and comfort that are due those men who are suffering for us.

Yours,

Wm. M. Forgrave,
Acting District Secretary.

### To the Y. M. C. A. Workers and Contributors

Editor Herald:

As county chairman of the Red Triangle drive, having appointed the various committees in the various towns, including the City of Portsmouth, and having had direct supervision of the same, I desire to publicly thank each and all of these committees, the various members of the teams in this city, the officers of the local Y. M. C. A. who assisted, ladies' committee which assisted, various speakers throughout the district who assisted, the press, the members of the K. of C., the members of the Board of Trade, the navy yard officers and employees, the churches, and particularly every person who contributed anything, either of time or money to make this drive a success.

John H. Bartlett, County Chairman.

## TAKEN TO CONCORD AND PORTLAND FOR HEARING ON JUNK CASE

Jacob and Peter Hooz, junk dealers, charged with receiving stolen property of the government, were taken to Concord this afternoon for arraignment before the U. S. Commissioner. At the same time, Austin Brown and Dwight Walker, two navy yard employes, who are alleged to have disposed of missing metal to the junk man, were taken to Portland to appear before the commissioner of the Maine district in that city.

## SWEDEN WILL HAVE AIR ROUTES

(By Associated Press)

London, Nov. 23.—Reports from Stockholm printed by the Morning Post say the Swedish Aeronautical Club is taking active measures for the realization of its long contemplated air service between Stockholm, Malmo and Gothenburg.

There are to be fourteen intermediate stations, for the erection of which the necessary land has already been partly acquired. The service is expected to open before the end of thw ar.

### WOMEN AS PALLBEARERS BECAUSE MEN ARE AT WAR

New London, Nov. 23.—Six women of Italian birth were bearers of the casket at the funeral of Mrs. Menghi, at St. Joseph's church yesterday. The explanation was that so many relatives and friends have gone to the war that it was not possible to get male bearers except strangers.

### WIFE OF PROF. W. S. ROSS DIES IN SOMERSWORTH, N. H.

Mrs. Hilda M. Ross, wife of Prof. Winfred S. Ross, a widely known teacher, died Wednesday night at her home, 129 High street, two hours after giving birth to a son, who also died.

She is survived by her husband, a son and a daughter, her parents, maternal grandmother, five sisters and three brothers. Of the latter, Rev. Roger S. Guptill is in Elizabethville, Belgian Congo, Africa. The others reside in Berwick, except a sister, Mrs Fannie G. Tucker of Boston.


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# NAVY NOTES

### New Paymaster at Prison

Assistant Paymaster M. E. Throneson, U. S. N., has been commissioned and ordered to the naval prison for duty. He has been pay clerk on the Southery for some time.


## AT MUGRIDGE'S

Men's heavy overshoes, $1.28; men's rubber boots, $2.99; men's long leg rubber boots, $3.48; men's fancy light weight overshoes, $1.62; men's heavy 4-buckle overshoes, $2.20; cut prices on men's felt boots and rubbers to fit.


### JACKSON--NICHOLSEN

The marriage of Sergt. Walter O. Jackson of the U. S. Marine Corps and Miss Annabelle B. Nicholsen, took place Thursday afternoon. The couple left at 5 p. m. for a trip to New York. The bride was formerly employed in the Nichols confectionery store. Rev. William P Stubley performed the cere-

### German "No Annexations"

(From the Springfield Republican)

Whatever confirmation was needed as to the plans of the two kaisers for conquest in the east is supplied by the agitation begun by the Government-wing Socialists, Scheidemann and Evert, against disguised annexation by making the Austrian emperor king of Poland and the German emperor duke of Courland and prince of Livonia. That is the German version of the Russian watchword, "No annexations."

### Clean Fighters

(From the Topeka State Journal)

The despatches from the Mexican border indicate that the Mexicans fight like gentlemen. They are using no big guns, no hand grenades, no gas, no liquid fire; just plain old-fashioned rifles. The casualties might be still further reduced if they would arm themselves solely with broomsticks.

# POLITICIANS MAY INVOKE DRAFT LAW

Both political parties threaten to invoke the army draft law in order to get candidates for office. The only real candidate is the present mayor, and the party followers are displeased.

There is no trouble with the salaried offices, but the councilmen and other positions are not receiving any volunteers.

The citizens generally, are disgusted with local politics and would welcome a chance to vote for a good clean business men's ticket. Portsmouth needs help. It means a political "clean-up." The navy yard workmen have reason to feel sore about some things.

The Republican leaders are in the same fix as the Democrats and they are shouting "Slacker." There are no volunteers and the "draft" will get some before the hour of filing closes. Those offering themselves as volunteers do not appear to be able to get by the "doctor."

# KITTERY GARAGE DID NOT RECEIVE METAL

Editor Herald:

I wish to state in the most emphatic manner that in the story published regarding navy yard thefts of metal and it being sold to a local garage, that it was not the Kittery garage located at Kittery Junction. I know nothing about Mr. Brown and his dealings in metal. He never has sold or stored any at my garage. I make this public statement because reference in a local paper was made to appear that the metal was disposed of to me. It is false.

Howard G. Keene, Proprietor
Kittery Garage.


WANTED—Boy to remove ashes twice a week. Apply 395 South street. ch, N 23 1w.


Let's help the local boys in every way possible.


BEST STYLE, QUALITY AND SATISFACTION OUR MOTTO.

Great Reductions On All Our

SUITS, COATS,

Dresses, Skirts, Furs

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You will save money if you buy here. Large stock to select from.

THE SIEGEL STORE CO.,

57 MARKET ST.

"The Store of Quality for the People."

# New China Restaurant

27 Daniel Street

**SPECIAL DINNER SATURDAY, NOV. 24**

SOUP

Vegetable, 10c — Chicken Broth, 15c

Roast Native Chicken with dressing, 45c

Roast Leg of Lamb, with dressing, 35c

Roast Sirloin of Beef, 35c — Roast Pork, 35c

Chicken Chop Suey, 55c

VEGETABLES

Stewed Corn. — Boiled Potatoes

DESSERT

All kinds of Pies. Tea or Coffee.

See Saturday's Herald for Special Sunday Dinner.


# COGGSWELL--HEFFENGER

The marriage of Miss Francesca Heffenger, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Heffenger, and Lieut. James Kelsey Coggswell, U. S. C. A., and the son of Mrs. Coggswell and the late Rear Admiral James K. Coggswell, U. S. N., was solemnized at 4.30 Thursday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents on Austin street.

It was a war wedding with the bride unattended and only the immediate friends here and from Boston and New York present.

The bride was gowned in white silk with silver trimmings and she wore the conventional wedding veil trimmed with orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet.

The groom appeared in his army uniform and he was attended by Mr. Ralph May as best man. Rev. L. H. Thayer D. D., performed the ceremony, the bride being given in marriage by her father.

Following the ceremony a reception followed, the young couple being assisted in receiving by Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Heffenger and Mrs. James K. Coggswell, Mr. J. Winslow Peirce acting as usher.

Lieut. and Mrs. Coggswell after a wedding trip will leave for Norfolk where Lieut. Coggswell has been ordered to the artillery school at Fortress Monroe.

The bride will be greatly missed in this city, for she has been very active in all war measures and an untiring worker in all charities and welfare work.

# OBITUARY

Mrs. Bridget Dwyer.

Mrs. Bridget Dwyer, widow of Thomas P. Dwyer, died at a hospital on Thursday and the body was taken to the undertaking rooms of P. M. Kelley. The funeral will be held a 8.30 Saturday morning from the Church of the Immaculate Conception.

# OBSEQUIES

Mrs. Sarah C. Trussell.

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah C. Trussell was held from the home in New Castle, Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, Rev. I. J. Merry conducting the service. The bearers were Henry Becker, William Robinson, George Fernald and Charles Becker. Interment was in the family lot in Riverside cemetery under direction of J. Verne Wood.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their sympathy and kindness in our recent bereavement, also for the beautiful floral tributes.

Gilbert A. Trussell.
Mr. and Mrs. Oliver C. Littlefield.
Mr. and Mrs. Oliver M. Littlefield.


# LastCall

For the Biggest Sale Portsmouth has ever had.

# 150 Garments

Consisting of

# LADIES' Coats & Suits

Are going to be put on sale Saturday.

**Any Coat or Suit for $2.00**

**Cor. Market & Bow Sts.**

It's Up one flight. The stairs that pay you to walk

**Fall and Winter Goods Coming In**

**OREN BRAGDON & SON**

**Portsmouth, N. H.**


# FOUND STOLEN GOVERNMENT PROPERTY

Jacob Hooz and Peter Hooz, two junk dealers, were arrested on Thursday afternoon by Deputy Marshall Ducker and Officer Mulholland, charged with receiving stolen goods, government property.

Their arrest followed that of Austin Brown of Kittery who was taken into custody on the charge of larceny of government property.

The local police who have been working up the case on this side of the river found it is alleged, that Brown had disposed of a considerable quantity of metal to the Hooz, such as brass composition etc, some of it new.

Brown, who was the driver of the truck, had an opportunity to get on and off the yard and it is thought that he has been responsible for much of the missing goods that has been noticed. Whether other yard workmen are implicated, the police do not state

# PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Mrs. J. P. Conner, passed Thursday in Boston.

Mrs. Harry Caswell was a Boston visitor on Thursday.

Oscar Moreau of Manchester is a Portsmouth visitor.

U. S. Senator J. H. Gallinger has returned to Washington.

Fred G. Newton and wife are to pass the winter in Portsmouth.

R. H. Hardy of Durham was a Portsmouth visitor on Friday.

Hon John Scammon of Exeter passed Thursday night in this city.

Mrs. Harry W. Peyser has returned from a visit to her mother in Boston.

Hon. John H. Neal has returned from a ten days' trip through the northern part of the state.

Charles Berry and family have returned from Dorchester, Mass., and have again taken up their residence here.

Mr. Lyman Nelson and Mr. Dan Gidley of Winthrop have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Jones of Miller avenue.

# MAJOR, FAMOUS HORSE, FOUND DEAD AT THE ISLES OF SHOALS

## Buried With Honors by the Coast Guard Crew at Appledore.

Major, the famous Isles of Shoals horse is dead, and the members of the coast guard at Appledore Island are mourning the loss of their pet. Major was found dead in his stall on Thursday morning after doing a good day's work on Wednesday. The animal has been the only one on the island for over 20 years and was used in the work of ice cutting, hauling baggage and coal to the Hotel Appledore before the fire. He was 36 years old and was sent to the island from Newcastle. The men were very much attached to the animal and he knew them like a book. He was considered one of the family on the island and it can be said that he did not pass away for the lack of kindness. He was buried near the site of the former hotel and went into his island grave with a volley and taps from the coast guard crew of the station.

# WILL NOT HEAR THE CAT AND DOG CASE

## Judge Allen Orders It Put Up to a Master for Hearing.

Judge Allen of the superior court declines to hear the cat and dog case brought in from the lower court at North Hampton, in which Jenness sues Hayden for the loss of a pet feline, alleged to have been killed by Hayden's dog, and the sum of $100 is asked as damages. The court advises that it be heard before a master. The case was heard a year ago before Judge Joplin at Hampton who imposed a fine of $20 on the owner of the dog. He appealed and brought the case to the superior court in the way of a suit.

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY AT DEDES'

Fancy Tokay grapes, 10c lb; 3 lbs for 25c; 6-lb. baskets, 45c.

Concord, Salem and Niagara grapes, 20c basket, 2 for 36c.

Large basket Concord grapes, 35c.

Mixed nuts, 23c lb.

English walnuts, 25c lb.

Honeydew melons, figs, dates, all kinds of nuts.

STEALING ON THE INCREASE

Something should be done to stop the encouragement given young boys to steal in this city. Hundreds of dollars' worth of metal have been stolen in this city. Parents and citizens generally have a duty to perform. It is time that an effort was made to correct conditions.

FOOD CONSERVATION SALE

The local Food Conservation Committee, working under the Council for Defense, are introducing a new feature in a conservation sale at the Woman's Building on Middle street, on Saturday of this week, from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Here will be found home canned vegetables and fruits, home made jellies and jam, honey, war bread, meat substitutes, and other conservation foods foods. Contribution of such foods are solicited.

The committee will sell on commission any of the above articles if so desired.

Send on Friday afternoon or Saturday morning. If donations are to be called for notify Mrs. Harold Smith, No. 141-R, or Mrs. Lucius H. Thayer, No. 131. Proceeds of the sale will go toward local conservation work.

WHITE & HODGDON

Special on Saturday.

All cuts choice corned beef at reduced prices.

Fancy native fowl, 34c lb.
Fancy native chickens, 40c lb.
Fresh pork shoulders, 28c lb.
Fresh pork roasts, 32c lb.
Chuck beef roasts, 22c to 24c lb.
Rib beef roasts, 28c to 30c lb.
Cranberries, 10c qt.
Three juicy grapefruit, 25c.
Native spinach, 25c peck.
B. M. celery, lettuce and cauliflower.

In ordering by telephone refer to this sale price.

CHRISTMAS CLUB

All payments on account of the Christmas Club at the Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Company, must be made on or before December 5.

Checks for the amount due are drawn as soon as full payment is made and will be mailed on December 14.

Club members are requested to make their final payment as early as convenient.

# JAPANESE ENTERTAIN TEACHERS

There was a large audience at the Assembly Hall of the high school on Thursday evening and greatly enjoyed a Japanese entertainment under the auspices of the Teachers' Association.

The Ongawas, two clever Japanese people, man and woman, gave a very fine program illustrating the language of Japan, the music and the dramatic art as well as folk dancing and folk lore, closing with a little playlet entitled "The Mirror." They appeared in the Japanese costumes of the various periods and some were strikingly handsome.

REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCES.—JOHN W. A. GREEN, REGISTER

Following are the conveyances of real estate in the County of Rockingham, recently recorded in the Registry of Deeds:

Brentwood—Forrest E. Smith, Fremont, et als, to Charles E. Kimball, land, $1.

Candia—Annie F. Condon to Rudolph and Eliza Sounleitner, Manchester, land and buildings, $1.

Epping—Frank W. Rundlett, Haverhill, Mass., to S. George Buswell, land and buildings, $1.

Exeter—George L. Sanborn, heirs to Lura S. Sargent, Chicago, land, $1.

Hampton—Sabina A. Quinn to Alice L. Taylor, Keene, lots 78-9, Surfside Park, $1.—David E. Marston to John W. and Georgia E. Shaw, Boston, land, $1.—Ralph C. White to George F. Goye Hopkinton, marsh land, $1.

Hampton Falls—Walter B. Farmer to William H. McDevitt, land and buildings, $1.

Kingston—Walter P. Carter, Danville, to George W. Kimball, Newton, land, $1.—John F. Tucker to Lucy H. Tyler, land, $1.—Levi S. Bartlett to Mary G. Noble, Bridgeport, Conn., land, $1.—Melvin H. Beede, Newton, et al. to Alice B. Beede, two-thirds certain premises, $1.—Florice A. French, Auburn, to Hattie M. French, Auburn, one fourth certain premises.

Newmarket—Emma A. Young, Manchester, et als to Joseph Roberge, land and buildings, $1.—Helen D. Hutchins, to Charles W. Caswell, land and buildings, $1.

North Hampton—Robert R. Lear, Portsmouth, to Elias T. Card, half fish house, $1.

Portsmouth—Maria Wright to Y. M. C. A., land and buildings on Bridge street, $1.—Frederick Gardner to Katherine G. Woods, land and buildings on Pleasant street, $1.—Irving E. Brooks, to William E. Frost, Kittery, land and buildings on Austin street, $1.—Last grantor to Thomas W. H. Gibbons, land and buildings on Austin street, $1.—Blanche L. Beacham to John H. Bartlett, one-sixth Hanover street premises, $1.—George E. Delano to Ada S. Allen, land on Sagamore Creek, $1.

Rye—Frank Booma to Orin C Beasley, both of Portsmouth, land and buildings, $1.—North Shore Realty Company, Portsmouth, to Cecile M. Philbrick, land, $1.

DANCING SCHOOL NOTICE

Miss Moses Friday evening dancing class is postponed to Friday, Nov. 30 on account of High school dance.

Read the Want Ads.


Vaudeville — COLONIAL THEATRE — Pictures

**All Portsmouth is Talking About the Crackerjack Show at the Colonial**

You Have Just Tonight and Tomorrow to See It. If you miss it, you miss one of the Best Ever.


# WILL AID YOUNG MUSICIANS

Thomas Mott Osborne, commander of the naval prison, and Peter Kurtz will give a musical entertainment Thursday night, December 6 in High school hall, the proceeds of which will be used to buy musical instruments for the pupils of the Whipple school.

Those who have had the opportunity to hear Mr. Osborne as a speaker, should hear him in his new role, that of pianist, with Mr. Kurtz a violin soloist of the first rank. Mr. Osborne, while an accomplished musician, rarely plays in public, but has consented at this time to assist the Portsmouth children.

For some time the musical ability of some of Portsmouth's school children has been realized.

Mr. Howe, principal of the Whipple school will form an orchestra after the new instruments are secured. The proceeds that are not used to buy musical instruments will be turned over to the Red Cross or Red Triangle Y. M. C. A. fund.

ATTENTION, COMRADES!

Comrades are reminded of the semi-centennial anniversary on Friday evening. Comrades are requested to furnish cake.

M. H. BELL, Commander.
H. S. PAUL, Adjutant.


# THE NEW WAR TAX

is in force now, and you must have your pennies ready. We must HELP WIN THIS WAR WITH PENNIES!

## Wise Economy and Careful Buying is One Good Way to Save

WE HAVE BEEN DOING OUR BEST TO BUY OUR MERCHANDISE IN ADVANCE, BEFORE PRICES WENT UP, AND ARE ABLE TO OFFER YOU SOME THINGS AT PRACTICALLY THE OLD PRICES.

The following are a few of the many articles we offer at practically the old prices.

## Sale Begins Saturday, Nov. 24

**MEN'S AND BOYS' SHOES**

Boys' black lace shoes, sizes 1 to 5½, regular $2.50, at.....$1.98
Smaller sizes at.....$1.69

**MEN'S WORK SHOES**

Sizes 6 to 11; regular $3.00, at $2.45

We carry a large stock of Men's Work Shoes, regular $3.00 to $7.00. Big reduction on these shoes.

**SPECIAL REDUCTION**

On Our Famous King Quality Shoes.

50c to $1.00 Saving on each pair. Look at our windows.

**BOYS' TAN HIGH CUT SHOES**

Solid leather, sizes from 10 to 5½; regular $4.00 and $4.50; now.. $2.95 and $3.45

Also a complete line of Men's, Women's and Children's Rubbers, Rubber Boots and Overshoes at most reasonable prices.

Special Reduction on

**BOYS' SUITS AND MACKINAWS**

Boys' Suits, regular $5.50 to $7.50, now.....$3.95 to $5.95
Boys' Mackinaws, regular $6.00 to $8.00; now.....$4.00 to $6.00

**MEN'S UNDERWEAR**

Men's Underwear, fleece lined and ribbed; sold everywhere at 75c; here at.....65c

**MEN'S HEAVY WOOLEN HOSE**

Regular 75c value at.....49c
Regular 50c value at.....35c
Regular 35c value at.....22c
Cotton Hose, regular 20c value, at.....15c
Regular 25c value at.....19c

And many others.

**MEN'S SWEATERS**

Pure wool, all colors, in V-neck and plain styles.

Regular $6.00, at.....$4.95
Regular $5.00, at.....$3.95
Regular $4.00, at.....$3.25
Regular $3.50 and $3.00, at...$2.59
Regular $2.50, at.....$1.75
Regular $1.75, at.....$1.25
Regular $1.00, at.....65c

**MEN'S PANTS AND SHIRTS**

Men's Pants, for dress and work, finest assortment of wool, serge, worsted, etc.

Regular $2.00, at.....$1.48
Regular $2.50, at.....$1.98
Regular $3.00, at.....$2.48
Regular $3.50, at.....$2.98
Regular $4.00, at.....$3.25
Regular $5.00, at.....$4.00

**MEN'S UNION SUITS**

Regular $1.50 at.....$1.19
Regular $1.75 at.....$1.25

Come in and look these over; they are exceptionally good values.

**MEN'S WORK SHIRTS**

Blue, Gray, Black.

Regular 65c, at.....59c
Regular 75c, at.....65c

**FLANNEL SHIRTS**

Gray, Blue and Khaki.

Regular $1.25, at.....98c
Regular $1.75, at.....$1.25
Regular $2.00, at.....$1.50
Regular $2.50, at.....$1.98
Regular $3.00, at.....$2.25

**MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS**

Soft and Stiff Cuffs.

Regular $1.25, at.....98c
Regular $1.50, at.....$1.25

Arrow Brand Shirts.

**NECKWEAR**

Regular $1.00, at.....75c
Regular 65c, at.....55c
Regular 50c, at.....39c
Regular 25c, at.....19c

Special Reduction on Mufflers.

**AND MANY OTHER THINGS LOOK AT OUR WINDOWS**

# LOUIS SLOSBERG

**53 Market Street — Portsmouth, N. H.**

# PORTSMOUTH BOYS ARE ALL EQUIPPED

The last of the Portsmouth boys have been supplied with sweaters, helmets, and wristers, when Thursday the work room committee of the Portsmouth Chapter, Red Cross shipped nine outfits to battery D, 103 regiment field artillery, American Expeditionary force.

So that the boys would be sure and get the outfits they were sent to William Holland of this city who is one of the nine local boys, who volunteered for immediate service from the local Coast Artillery company.

Despite the disagreeable weather of Thursday there were over fifty women at work in the Red Cross rooms at the Elks' Home, and another room has been opened for the additional workers. Thursday noon the Elks chef served luncheon to the ladies in the Grill Room that they would not have to go out in the storm, which was greatly appreciated.

Next week there will be but one work day, Monday, as the regular day falls on Thanksgiving day. Beginning the third of December the work days will be all day Monday and Wednesday for surgical dressing and Thursday for sewing and these days will be continued until it is necessary to increase the working days.

There is sufficient yarn to supply all knitters who wish to do war work and enough for a month's supply has already been ordered so that there will always be sufficient to keep the work along.

The officers of the Portsmouth lodge of Elks are doing everything to make the women workers comfortable at the Home, and their kindness is greatly appreciated.

# NOTORIOUS SPY IS SENTENCED

Geneva, Nov. 22—Switzerland's most notorious spy at last has been laid by the heels and sentenced to five months imprisonment and a fine for his activity on behalf of Germany. He is Baron Heinrich von Sommers, alias Dr. Henry F Somerset. His expulsion from Switzerland for two years has been ordered.

His case not only is interesting because of the activity of his work, but because for almost three years he posed as an American, managed to induce two United States embassies to give him passports, and almost got a third from a third embassy. He has been a German since a clever clerk discovered the fraud he was perpetrating, and, in the former American embassy in Berlin, took away from him the passport he had got from the American embassy in Rome.

Since shortly after that time, Somerset, or von Somers, or Van Siemers, as he was sometimes called has been in Switzerland, whether he came all armed with German papers and after unsuccessfully offering his services as a spy to both French and the English, has as his trial revealed, been working for the German government.

Sommers business had been to collect and train Swiss agents to send to France where they were to gather as much political and military information as possible, while Sommers remained in Geneva and kept track of returning repatriates and obtained all the information possible. Information secured in either way would be carried to Zurich by one of the trio and sent over into Germany by underground means.

# GREEK ARMY STEADILY GROWING

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 22.—Greece is rapidly preparing to take her place in the war. A dispatch from Athens reports that many new divisions have been equipped and have taken their places at the front. The morale of the new army is said to be excellent

# VETERAN RAILROAD MAN DEAD

(By Associated Press)

Weston, Nov. 22.—Amos Sawyer Crane, general freight traffic manager of the Boston & Maine railroad, died today after a long illness at his home, in Stony Brook, Weston, at the age of 60 years.

He was born in Washington village, Berkshire county, and at the age of 20 entered the employ of the Erie railway at Chicago, and for several years was connected with railroads of the west. For three years, beginning 1880, he was New England agent of the South Shore railroad, and in 1890 came to Boston as general freight agent of the Fitchburg. With its consolidation with the Boston & Maine he was made foreign freight traffic clubs.

Railroad officials declare that Crane was responsible to a great extent for the expansion of the export business at the port of Boston. He made two trips to Europe, which resulted in the establishment of offices of the two new steamship lines in Boston. Through his efforts the Hamburg-American line and the Holland-America lines located there. He greatly improved the Mystic river and Roosac Tunnel docks and the Boston & Maine export terminals.

He became general freight traffic manager of the Boston & Maine in 1909. He was a director of the Beacon Trust Company of Boston, and was at one time director of the chamber of commerce. He belonged to the City and New England traffic clubs.

He is survived by a wife and one son, Philip A. Crane of Chicago.

# SHOULD HAVE REMAINED FIRM

(By Associated Press)

Amsterdam, Nov. 22.—"America's entry into the war is disadvantageous to us in moral and many other ways," said Admiral von Tirpitz, former German minister of marine, in addressing a meeting of the Fatherland party at Dresden. "We ought to have reckoned with the fact that the American trust magnates were bound to desire our defeat.

"I regret that we did not remain firm in the face of President Wilson's threats. If we had done so things probably would have been very different. But now we must take them as they are.

"I would point out, however, that from a military viewpoint America's entry into the war is of little significance to us, because it is the tonnage question that is decisive."

The admiral expressed regrets that Germany had been late in using that "powerful economic weapon," the U-boat, but said that notwithstanding all the counter-measures which the delay gave Britain time to develop, the Germans would be successful if they stuck to their guns.

(By Associated Press)

The British are carrying forward successfully their newest drive which is apparently aimed at Cambrai an important railroad center.

For three days the British forces have been keeping to their task and now having driven the enemy from the fortifications are battling in the opening with the tanks and cavalry driving forward clearing the way for the infantry.

Here the wedge has been driven in more than six and half miles and in the driving numerous towns and villages have been captured, many of them deserted by the Germans who fled in great disorder leaving vast quantities of equipment and stores.

The operations of the cavalry which is the most important since the beginning of the war, is said to be most brilliant, the horsemen making dashing charges into the towns and in some cases they have raided and captured machine gun locations.

At the last report they had surrounded the Bourlon woods directly west of Cambrai which dominates the entire country and the city itself. They have cleared out the enemy from Fontaine Notre Dame.

In addition to exceptionally heavy losses in killed and wounded more than 9000 prisoners have been counted up to noon Thursday. The British casualties are reported to be much smaller than even the prisoners taken.

To the south of Juvencourt in the Aisne region, where the French took many prisoners a heavy counter attack has been broken down with serious loses to the Teutonic soldiers and the forces of General Petain are holding all of the ground taken. South of St. Quentin the French have raided several positions and taken prisoners.

Sanguinary battles are progressing near the Brenta and Piave rivers, where the forces of the Teutonic, greatly superior in number are striving to break through into the Venitian plains from the hilly country. Hand to hand encounters are ordinary and the Italians are holding their own and inflicting heavy loses upon the Austro-German forces.

# FORSAW HIS OWN FATE

(By Associated Press)

Paris, Nov. 22—Guy Agostini, a young American from San Francisco, who was killed north of Verdun on August 27 was the son of American Consul at Tarragena, Spain. He was at the University of Madrid when the war began and enlisted in the Foreign Legion. A quiet, serious youth, deeply in earnest about his work, he was promoted to corporal and won his war cross in the spring fighting in the Champagne. Like many others, he had a forboding of his fate, for on his last leave in Paris he said to his friend:

"The next cross I get will be a wooden one. I feel I will not come out of another battle."

A fellow leegionary, another young American, probably the youngest to enlist in the legion, being still under twenty after two years service, Jack Moyet writes:

"It was a splendid night of August we were in Regneville, Verdon sector, which the legion had just captured and were ordered to put up barbed wire against a counter force.

Corporal Agostini was in charge of the work which began just before 9 o'clock as the noon wa stoo bright to begin before. We worked till about two in the morning when suddenly the Germans began shelling as they generally do.

"All his men jumped to cover in the trench but Agostini remained right where he was. Whether he had no time to take cover in the trench or whether he preferred to stay at his post to show he was not afraid, nobody knows, but when the Germans had finished their music, some of his men went to look for him and found him lying on the ground, his face to heaven, a piece of shell had gone right through his body.

"The menof his squad buried him behind the lines and placed in a bottle a paper with his name Corporal Agostini, August 27, Legion Etrangere, Mourt pour la rFance.' They made a wood cross of branches and fired a last salute."

# GERMAN U-BOAT IS SIGHTED

Rio Grande Do Sol, Brazil, via Montevideo, Nov. 22—Fishermen and passengers on coastwise vessels report having seen a submarine near this port and Brazilian warships have been seeking it. The crew and passengers of a vessel which arrived here recently reported having sighted a Spanish sailing vessel off the Island of Arvoredo. The belief was held that this vessel was one of several convoying submarines.

You will have to read the Herald—the people's paper which is open to all parties.

# GERMANS ARRESTED IN BOSTON

(By Associated Press)

Boston, Nov. 22.—Three Germans whose travels and plentiful supply of money has excited suspicion, were arrested today by Marshall Mitchell and they will be recommended for internment for the rest of the war. They were Hans Miller, H. Knox and Alfred Wittiz.

# MEATLESS DIET MAY RESULT FROM WAR

(By Associated Press)

Manchester, England, Nov. 23— The experience of the present war should result in the general adoption of the meatless diet, says the annual program adopted by the Vegetarian society of Great Britain, which has just closed its annual convention here.

In his presidential address, President Ernest Bell spoke of the "many hundreds of millions of men and women who are now obtaining a living out of the slaughter of animals and fish, and suggested that one of the social results of the adoption of vegetarism would be that "these people would turn to more humane and edifying work." He added: "At a time like this when food is a most serious problem, it is monstrous to devote 64 pounds of dry grain to the production of one pound of beef."

Bernard Shaw, in a letter to the convention said that he had been a vegetarian for forty years, and spoke of meat as a relic of cannibalism.

# RAILROAD MEN WILL NOT STRIKE

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 22.—President Wilson in a statement issued this evening declared that the railroad brotherhood of trainmen had agreed at a conference today to patriotically stand by the government and to concede any proposed solution in the spirit of accomplishing the work and they were not inclined to contend for anything that they were not entitled to.

# SHIPS 'MISSING WITHOUT TRACE'

London, Nov. 23—In the House of Lords yesterday, Admiral Lord Beresford, retired, called attention to the increasing number of ships that are "missing without trace" and to the disclosure in the communications of Count von Luxburg, former German minister to Argentina, of German's plans for the sinking of vessels in this manner. Lord Lyttleton, civil lord of the admiralty, replying to Lord Beresford, said that in the three years ending with October last, 122 vessels had been lost "without trace." The normal average in peace times," he added, was 15 vessels yearly. As the result of careful inquiry, Lord Lyttleton added that he had no reason to believe that such disasters were increasing.

# WAREHOUSE BURNS IN SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, Nov. 23—A spectacular water front fire here early yesterday destroyed a flour warehouse belonging to the Albers Brothers' Milling Company. Watchmen, said the building was full of flour.

The damage to the warehouse was estimated at from $60,000 to $100,000.

## STEPS TO PREVENT HOOKWORM DISEASE

(By Associated Press)

Sydney, Australia, Nov. 22.—Hookworm disease will spread ere long all over Papua (British New Guina) unless vigorous steps are taken at once to check it in the opinion of Dr. J. H. Waite of the Rockefeller Foundation, who has just investigated the malady in the huge island north of Australia.

"The International Health Board," said Dr. Waite, "found that 65 per cent of the natives working on plantations were infected with the hookworm, and 8 per cent of the natives in villages."

Dr. Waite pointed out that under present conditions the disease could be eradicated at relatively small cost; whereas if allowed to spread a most formidable task would be presented. "The International Health Board," he explained, "has made an offer to the Governments of Queensland and New South Wales to conduct an anti-hookworm campaign in infected districts provided these states will defray a third of the total cost."

NOTICE.

Registrars of Voters of Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

The Board of Registrars will be in session at City Hall on the following dates: Tuesday, Nov. 27; Tuesday, Dec. 4; and Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1917, from 9 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m., to prepare the check lists to be used at the coming election, Dec. 11, 1917. Also on election day from 8 to 12 a. m. for the purpose of granting certificates to those legal voters whose names have been omitted from the list.

RALPH C. GRAY, Chairman.
FRED T. HARTSON, Clerk.


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# DEFENSE SCORES IN MURDER TRIAL

(By Associated Press)

Lincoln, Nov. 22.—Jules Hadinch, the Austrian valet of John L. De Saulles, admitted on the stand here today that it was the hopes of regaining her young son which took Mrs. Blanca De Saulles to the home of her divorced husband on the night he was killed. He said that the first thing she asked her husband was why Jack had been kept from her so long. He replied asking Uterhart and when she said she wanted him he said "no, no."

# HINDENBURG LINE THING OF THE PAST

With the British Armies Beyond the Hindenburg Line, Nov. 22.—Victorious Britain "carried on" today with her triumphant smashing of the Hindenburg lines.

Tanks, cavalry, infantry—all were closing steadily around Cambrai—the great war machine rumbling over the enemy just as the tanks first crushed the way through the German lines.

The Tommies are now almost within grasp of the German depot of Cambrai as this dispatch is written.

Every hour makes the British victory more gigantic in its scope, more astounding in its conception and execution.

The Hindenburg line has been smashed to flinders.

**Cavalry in Action.**

In some sections of the battlefront, the fighting is practically in the open. British cavalry have been in action. The vast and intricate trench defences of the Hindenburg line and its subsidiary lines have in many places been stormed and the enemy forced into defence from the open.

Literally delirious with joy, 500 civilians repatriated to France by the British stroke came back from the front today. They had been hurriedly removed from Masnieres to Gouzeaucourt by the Germans and then abandoned. At Gouzeaucourt they welcomed the sweating Tommies as they streamed into the town.

With their stories and the tales wrung from German prisoners still dazed with the surprise of the British blow, it was possible today to piece together some idea of conditions in the luxurious and—supposedly—impregnable German positions of the Hindenburg line when Gen. Byng loosed his surprise party.

**Complete Surprise**

Not a German had any knowledge of the attack until the tanks loomed over their heads. Then they literally "blew up" in panic. French civilians in towns just behind the lines described the officers and men as running around "like chickens with their heads cut off." The whole army quivered and shook with the suddenness of the thing; the great ghost-like steel monsters that battered through cement and earth and human walls were fearsome giants; the swearing, yelling fiends who followed them were gnomes who suddenly sprang to life out of the ground.

It must have been hours before this palsy of surprise, of fear and of what almost amounted to superstitious panic that something supernatural had occurred, passed away among the Germans.

British "moppers up" told of how men from whose heads the lethargy of sleep had hardly passed, blinkingly, dazedly, crowded out of their dugouts, or how, uncomprehending that it was really and not dreams, they dully let great tanks crush them flat, or furiously gleaming British bayonets find their mark.

**Flee in Panic.**

In trenches and dugouts blankets and cots were still warm from sleepers' bodies or breakfast tables for officers, daintily set, still smoked appetizingly. A tangle of personal belongings in line after line of dugouts showed sleepers in the bunks and on the cots had leaped to their feet in the first terror of the moment—and fled to the ghostly dawn above, without hats, without blouses, without guns, almost without their senses.

Vast stores of choice wines were found in the officers' quarters. Cigars and cigarettes were packed there profusely.

Many sections of the boasted Hindenburg line came into British hands absolutely intact. The tanks had smashed great gaps. Through these the infantry poured and spread out, fan-wise behind taking yard after yard of the "impregnable positions" from the rear.

The correspondents were summoned to the line during the night. We stood that memorable morning in the early light just before dawn, in the midst of great droves of tanks—all camouflaged and bedizened—a veritable multitude of the things.

They were a great herd of gentle looking, stolid creatures, that seemed to browse on the grass-covered battlefield, sheltered somewhat by trees whose branches showed no nipping by shells. The scene was like some abandoned farm in the Kentucky blue grass region. One could imagine the tanks either as bovine herds or as cluttered up, dingy-looking, neglected farm machinery scattered about.

It was still. Only a few desultory shells exploded in the distance—the regular, monotonous, every morning interchange. We could not see the infinite preparations on all the gigantic front. Column after column, mass after mass of men and machines and horses and paraphernalia had slid through the oily night shadows and were lined up at that moment for the greatest of the war dramas then about to start.

**Like the "Kick-Off."**

Of a sudden the moment came. It was the "kick-off." Nothing but the tense moment when the ball is put into play so aptly expressed that moment.

A little while—and hell broke loose.

It seems almost impossible that the Germans in a great many places on their lines did not awaken with the first snorting of the tanks as they crunched great swaths through the boche wires. But there were countless instances where it was not until the behemoths themselves, their tongues flaming ahead, their steel bellies flattening the earth, actually came over the German trenches—that the boche came to life. Your German is a creature of habit. He knew it was customary for artillery to precede an attack. There was no artillery. Hence there could be no attack.

No wonder he was dazed. The inferno of British artillery did not start until the banks were well over their first objectives. Then it came, a deluge, a molten flame, it seemed. From Lens to St. Quentin, I am told today, the British artillery speeded up to feverish violence.

**Tanks Found it Easy**

The multitude of tanks found it easy going. The general in command of the land leviathans had sent word to all his crews.

"The tanks corps expects every tank to do its damnedest"—and the tanks did it with full damnation to the Boches.

The ground over which they wriggled was practically flat. There were few shell holes. Mighty few of the monsters got stuck. A few were knocked out around Flesquires later on, when a heavy German field gun, muzzle depressed, fired point blank at a range of 150 yards.

Behind the tanks trooped the infantry, taking it easy, laughing in glee at the astonished Boches and their frenzied cries of "Kamerad," or disregarding the staccato machine gun fire that the more wide-awake—and courageous—of the enemy poured into their ranks. There were several spots where the Hindenburg line was captured without a single casualty among the British attackers.

**Cavalry Sweeps Forward.**

Here and there behind the tanks and the infantry, the cavalry swept forward—sometimes later in the fighting actually disregarding the slow-moving tanks and dashing on to swing their sabres and overwhelm the enemy. They had waited long years, these cavalry men, for a chance at the enemy and they made the most of the holiday opportunity. British infantrymen who arrogantly turned up their noses in other days at the cavalrymen, holding that it was the trench boys who were the real soldiers, had to revise their opinion today. They hadn't seen cavalry in action before. Nobody else had—that is, against firmly fixed trench defences.

The cavalry carved itself a niche in the war's history by the two days' work just past. Today they were still carving.

Their speed gives them the edge. In several towns captured yesterday the mounted troopers swarmed in while the Boches were lunching.

**Recovering from Daze**

The Germans were beginning to recover from their daze today, and headquarters reported frenzied opposition at half a dozen points around Cambrai. But the suddenness of the blow and two days of tremendous sweeping gains over the Hindenburg line has immeasurably lowered the German soldier's morale. He had been told the Hindenburg line couldn't be taken. It has been taken. Perhaps he is beginning to think there may be other untruths in what his commanders tell him.

Newspaper correspondents had their thrill in the proceedings late yesterday. They were the objects of assiduous attention from German snipers at Kibe court.


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# SENTENCED FOR KILLING HIS WIFE

(By Associated Press)

Manchester, N. H., Nov. 22.—Chief Justice John Kivel today imposed a sentence of from 12 to 15 years in jail upon Antonio Gonsolves of New Bedford, Mass., who yesterday was found guilty of manslaughter in the first degree, in killing his wife in a lodging house in this city on July 25. Gonzales was taken to the state prison at Concord by Deputy Sheriff Hastings and began the first day of his long sentence.

The trial began Monday. Yesterday afternoon the jury was out about three and one-half hours. At 5.20 p. m. a verdict of guilty of manslaughter in the first degree was reported. A motion for a new trial before the superior court in January was made. When arraigned, Gonsalves was charged with murder.

It developed at the trial that Mrs. Gonsalves left her home in New Bedford with another man. They came to this city. Gonsalves, it is alleged, followed them and later shot his wife.

# PRISONERS CHOOSE ARMY TO JAIL

(By Associated Press)

Chicago, Nov. 22.—Five prisoners arraigned before Judge Stelk today were given their option of joining the army or going to jail and one and all choose the army and they were at once taken to a recruiting station. "These men are not criminals" said Judge Stelk. "They were up for non support and desertion and they are of no use to their families but might be to the army. I think that a regiment of the same kind could be secured."

# DYNAMITE BOMB FOUND ON BRIDGE

New York, Nov. 23—A bomb was found yesterday on the center span of the Second Elevated railroad bridge over the Harlem river, one of the connecting links between Manhattan and the Bronx.

The bomb, consisting of a large stick of dynamite inclosed in insulated wire and with detonator attached, was designed to explode by coming in contact with the third rail of the tracks, the police say. It was picked up by a special policeman guarding the bridge.

# OFFER BONUS FOR SHIP WORK

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 22.—A system of bonuses to be paid workmen for rapid construction of the merchant marine was suggested by Captain Piott for the Seattle Manufacturers' Association. He proposes to divide $5,000 among the workmen on each ship that is finished ahead of schedule the money to be raised by the merchants of the west coast.

## THE DEVIL WRITES TO THE KAISER

(De-coded by Eugene H. Blake of the Vigilantes).

Infernal Palace, Hades.

Dear Wilhelm:

Here is something that I hope will not become widely known in Germany or America.

Max F. Meyer was born in the Fatherland and bred on Kultur. For nineteen years in the schools and colleges of Germany he was fed on Prussian ideas. Yet this former German, now a professor in the University of Missouri, recently refused to join one of the patriotic (ha ha) societies which you and I are using in the United States to decoy citizens who are flocking in droves to the support of their government in this war.

Think of his saying this, my dear Kaiser, when he was born in Germany: "If Germany wins this war, fifty years hence its Government will rule the American people. I do not want my American children to be put under this yoke which I escaped by coming to America. My hope is that the German government will be overthrown and that the German nation, my relatives and friends, will enter an international organization for peace and justice. But the German Government, this fearful danger to our future, can be overthrown only by raising armies, not by sitting around your council tables and working for the repeal of the draft laws."

Get your spies busy, Wilhelm, and see if we can't smooth this over.

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Portsmouth to Dover—6.55 am, and every hour until 9.55 pm. Sundays—First trip 7.55 am.

Portsmouth to Kittery Point—6.23 am, and every half hour until 10.55 pm. Sundays—First trip 7.55 am.

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York Beach to Portsmouth via Kittery Point—7.35, 9.35, 11.35 am, 1.35, 3.35, 5.35 pm.

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## POLITICIANS ARE MAKING A STIR

### Candidates Not Numerous; White Out of Public Works Contest; Other Side Line Gossip.

The political leaders of both parties in this city are on the hunt for candidates for the city council who are agreeable to having their names to be placed on the ticket for the municipal election on December 3. That the job is a hard one they do not hesitate to admit. Harder this year than ever before for the reason that so many men are holding government jobs at the navy yard and cannot, according to the ruling of the government, hold political offices.

The Democrats are hunting up three candidates at large to fill the places of Councilmen Gray, Wendell and Raynes, so it is said, while in other quarters it is whispered that one of the three named may consent to go in again, but which one is a question. The matter of a candidate for the public works has been decided as far the Democrats are concerned and they are resting easy with the nomination of Fred E. Hasty already bottled up.

The Republicans have got to do the hunting to find a man to succeed William H. White. White says he is out of the race and cannot consider another nomination. He has other business and cannot give any more time to politics at present. Among the names that are mentioned by the Republicans for the board are John H. Sugden, a former member of the board and William A. Hodgdon, the present superintendent of the department.

Samuel W. Emery appears to have nailed the nomination for assessor, although some party men in the Democratic ranks are talking Ex-Mayor Daniel W. Badger. John Yarwood, the oldest member of the board in point of service under the present city charter, wants to retain the honors for another period. He has not made it known whether the field looks clear for him or not from the Republican side, and he is said to have several wireless communications concealed somewhere that meets with his personal approval on this important office.

The Democrats of Ward Three must dig up a new council candidate from that ward somewhere. There is no-one fighting over the nomination in the party and a caucus may bring Ex-Councilman John Leary back in the political limelight or perhaps Ex-Mayor Badger, in case he passes up any consideration leading toward the board of assessors.

Councilman Patterson of the big ward has been in a city hall chair for two terms and is said to be ready to retire.

Charley Davis, a former progressive, would like to cop the Republican nomination in Ward One, but it remains to be seen what the ward committee have up their sleeves for the caucus. Charley is known in organized labor circles and might make a good run if the nomination is handed to him.

The Democrats will trot Councilman Weeks out again, who is serving his first year on the council from Ward One. Weeks is understood to have no objections and is ready for another battle.

The Democratic city committee meet Friday evening and the favorites will be picked.

## P. H. S. CLASS WILL PRESENT "STOP THIEF"

The Senior class of the Portsmouth High school has decided upon "Stop Thief," a Cohan and Harris production for the annual class play. The trials for the different parts resulted in the following pupils being chosen for the cast:

Joan Carr ..... Louise Leavitt
Mrs. Carr ..... Nellie Locklin
Caroline Carr ..... Isadore Luce
Madge Carr ..... Lucia Kenney
Nell Carr ..... Frances Upham
James Cluney ..... Irving Doolittle
Mr. Janison ..... Philip Hodgdon
Dr. Willoughby ..... John Quirk
Rev. Mr. Spelain .... Erwin Scavey
Jack Doogan ..... Wesley Smith
A Detective ..... Cecil Cloutman
Mr. Carr ..... Charles Parker

There are two or three minor characters to be selected later. The date for presenting the play will be named later.


## NOTICE

**Big Mark-Down Sale of Millinery**

Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats at Unusually Low Prices.

A few specials in Velvet Hats, all colors and styles, at **98c, $1.49 UP**

A beautiful assortment of Trimmed Hats at $2.49 up.

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**Saturday, Nov. 24**

**MISS ELLA SHARANSKY**

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Over Dennett & McCarthy's.


## LOCAL DASHES

McCall Patterns at Mrs. Fisher's.

Sugar is said to be enroute to this city.

**Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch. Tel. 133.**

**Koleher trucks, C. E. Woods, Bow street.**

The weather man says snow for the week-end.

While the rain is not pleasant, it is much needed.

Full line of fruits and nuts at Paras Bros. Tel. 29W.

**Fur sale, Saturday, Nov. 24 at D. F. Borthwick Store.**

The annual Thanksgiving school vacation of one week started today.

The schools close today for the annual week's vacation for Thanksgiving.

The new draft regulations are causing considerable interest in younger circles.

**Sheehan's dancing school, Monday night at Pythian hall. Uniformed men welcome.**

Mr. Hoover would do a fine thing if he would show us how to conserve our "bank roll."

Aikon will put on sale Saturday next, a very fine casserole in a nickle form for $1.00; worth $1.50.

**Lobsters and fresh fish of all kinds, caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson & Sons. Tel. 245.**

Friday and Saturday, sale of trimmed and untrimmed hats, at Mrs. E. M. Fisher's 343 State street.

Why not try that incomparable Nichols' ice cream with your Sunday dinner this week. Tel. 142W.

Buy your china, cut glass and kitchen utensils for Thanksgiving at Aikon's. A large assortment to select from.

General Crowder in an official statement said yesterday that the next draft might take boys between 18 and 21 years.

People are now well used to the habit of putting three cent postage on letters instead of two. The new war tax is now in full effect.

**Upholsterer of antique and modern furniture. Hair mattresses renovated. Margeson Bros., Tel. 670.**

Residents near the South Mill pond say that by draining the water off at nights, makes the odor from the mud flats far from that of a peach orchard.

If you would be sure of the quality, order your ice cream from Paras Bros. Tel. 29W. Sunday delivery.

The committee in charge of the Red Triangle fund extend their appreciation for the manner in which Portsmouth people have subscribed to the fund.

The Boston police have already made several arrests in accordance with President Wilson's new alien enemy laws governing Germans in the United States.

We are not selling as much candy as usual owing to the sugar shortage, but the quality of what we do sell is the same. It's Paras quality.

Iced turkey, while not a new dish, will be much in evidence this Thanksgiving. Dispatches state that tons are being taken from the cold storage houses.

Superintendent of Schools James N. Pringle stated today that he would not assume his new duties as assistant superintendent of state public instruction until the latter part of January.

A long delayed shipment of aluminum ware just arrived, which we purchased at a very low price, consisting of covered sauce-pans. Will sell Saturday next for 59 cents, worth $1.00. Do not miss seeing them, at Aikon's, Market street.

### AT MUGRIDGE'S

Sirloin steak, 29c; good steak, 25c; rump steak, 35c; small fresh pork shoulders, 30c; roast beef, 24c; pot roast beef, 22c; fresh beef tongues, 28c; legs lamb (not large) 27c; fores lamb, 23c; lamb chops, 32c; fancy corned beef, 20c; bacon (small strips), 35c; hogshead cheese, pigs' ears and feet (for boiling); pork scraps fresh pigs' liver home made mince meat, salted mackerel and herring, tongues and solids and smoked herring; fine old cheese, 38c.

### SPECIALS AT CATER'S MARKET, 37 DANIEL ST., TEL. 120.

Legs of spring lamb, 34c lb.
Fores spring lamb, 25c lb.
Roast of beef, 20c lb.
6 Lbs. sweet potatoes for 25c.
Cape Cod cranberries, 15c qt.
Popping corn, 8c lb.
New seeded raisins, large size, 14c lb.
Native roasting chickens and fowl; fresh pork shoulders; celery and spinach; our poultry for Thanksgiving will arrive Tuesday morning, we will have a limited supply this year owing to high prices; place your order for what you want now and we will take care of you. Cater's Market.

## BUSY MEETING OF NURSING ASSO.

### Votes $25 to Red Cross; Mrs. Wood Speaks and Miss Loofstedt, Noted Singer, Heard.

One of the most pleasant occasions since the organization of the Portsmouth Graduate Nurses' association, was that of Thursday in connection with the regular monthly meeting held at the home of Dr. M. I. Bogor, No. 145 Middle street, at which time the doctor proved an ideal hostess. The meeting opened at 3 o'clock and business combined with pleasure, kept the 25 members together until nearly 6 p. m.

During this period, Mrs. Mary I. Wood appeared befor ethe association for the first time and delivered a most interesting and able address on the conservation of food. She spoke for nearly an hour and her discussion was followed with close attention from start to finish by her audience.

Another feature of the occasion was the vocal work of Miss Esina Loofstedt of Boston, a noted singer, connected with the Boston Symphony Orchestra and the quartet of the Dr. Edward Everett Hale church of Boston. She rendered with most pleasing effect, several English, Swedish and Norwegian compositions.

The association voted to help the Red Cross work and the sum of $25 was appropriated for that purpose.

The matter of the recent appointment of an undergraduate to the district work was brought up and it was voted that the associatoin request the District Nursing association to reconsider the same. Some feeling was expressed to the effect that the position should be filled by a graduate, for the general good of the medical and nursing profession and the public.

It was announced that Dr. Laura Hughes of Boston, one of the best known female physicians of Massachusetts would be the speaker at the next meeting in December to be held at the Nurses' home.

Salads, ices, cake and coffee were served.

We just received a lot of fancy selected English walnuts, 25c lb., at Nichols' Candy Store.


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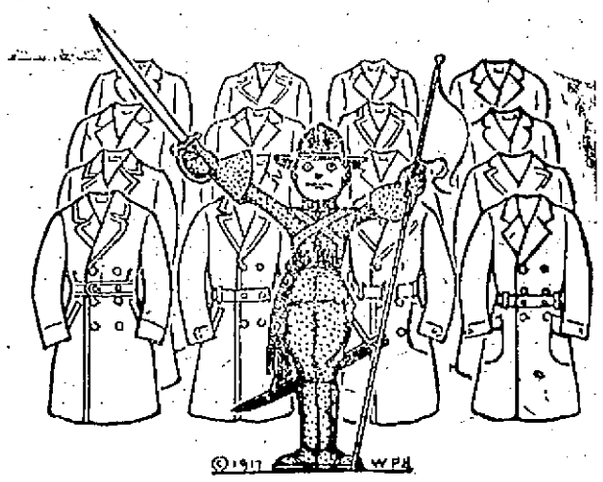

We've just succeeded in capturing another detachment of Trench model overcoats. Owing to the popularity of this model they are getting very scarce. Heavy selling had weakened our "first line," but these re-enforcements have filled the ranks again. $16.50, $18.50, $22.00, $22.50, $25.00.

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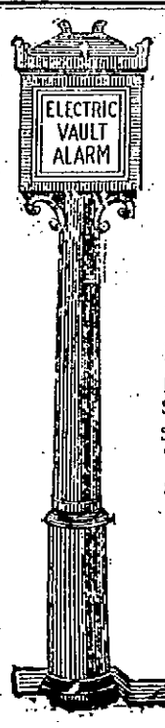


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